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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| **In Re Application of:** | Tracee Eidenschink, John Peckham |
| **Application No.:** | 10/728516 |
| **Filed:** | December 5, 2003 |
| **For:** | Detachable Segment Stent |
| **Group Art Unit:** | 3773 |

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**Docket No: S63.2B-11293-US01**

**PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136**

Applicant(s) hereby request a one month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed April 08, 2009. This petition is accompanied by $130.00 as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17 and is filed prior to or with the response.

Any outstanding fee for extension should be charged to our Deposit Account, No. 22-0350.

Respectfully submitted,
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